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U.S. SENATORS PUT BUFFALO AND BEEF ON THE LINE IN NEBRASKA-COLORADO TILT

Washington, D.C. – Colorado U.S. Senator Wayne Allard and Nebraska U.S. Senator Ben Nelson are putting Nebraska beef and Colorado Buffalo on the line for Friday's Big XII Conference football game between C.U. and Nebraska. The winner of the game will advance to the Big XII Conference championship game to be played in Dallas, Texas on December 1st.

Allard said he has put up a case of Colorado Buffalo burgers on the outcome of the game, while Nelson has put up some Nebraska beef steaks.

"I have reminded the Senator from Nebraska that C.U. is over a mile high in altitude and enthusiasm. I am confident that the Colorado Buffaloes will run wild on the Nebraska defense and be headed to Dallas to capture their first Big XII Championship," said Allard.

"I've done an informal survey, and I've found that though buffalo is tasty, most people prefer Nebraska Beef over Colorado Buffalo ten-to-one," said Nelson. "I expect the score of the game to be somewhere close to that ratio."

Nebraska enters the game as the number one ranked team in the country, while Colorado is the fourteenth ranked team in the nation, according to the recently released Bowl Championship Rankings (BCS) rankings. Friday's football game will be broadcast live from Boulder, Colorado at 1:30 p.m. (MST) on ABC-TV.

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